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Ham Radio Causes Cancer!

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In rec.radio.amateur.misc, chuck@eng.umd.edu (Chuck Harris - WA3UQV) writes:

>In article <1993Jan28.235637.1@ttd.teradyne.com> rice@ttd.teradyne.com writes:
>>
>>Wonder what the field is under an Electric Blanket ?

>Near nil, because the heating "coils" are just a long piece of coax with
>a resistive center conductor, and a short between the center conductor and
>the shield at one end.

It depends. The blankets for sale nowadays use special low-emission wire
to reduce the field strength. However older models (like the kind I have)
use a grid of conventional wires. Since the user's body is right next
to the wires, the field level is pretty high.

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"Using the electric blanket every night and not worrying about it."

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